

# CITY OF LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF HEALTH

December 7, 2022

PRESENT
Erin Gendron, Board Member
Kathleen Cullen-Lutter, Board Member
Allison Keegan, Board Member
Lisa Golden, HHS Director
Jimmy Le, Sr. Sanitary Code Inspector

Board of Health Member Kathleen Cullen-Lutter called the meeting to order at 6:09PM.

12/7/2022 - Minutes

#### 1. NEW BUSINESS

1.I. <u>For Acceptance</u>: Minutes of the October 5, 2022 Meeting of the Board of Health <u>Motion</u>: To approve the minutes of the October 5, 2022 meeting of the Board of Health made by Erin Gendron, seconded by Allison Keegan. All in favor.

**1.II.** <u>For Acceptance</u>: Minutes of the November 2, 2022 Meeting of the Board of Health Motion to accept the minutes of the November 2, 2022 meeting of the Board of Health made by Erin Gendron, seconded by Allison Keegan. All in favor.

**1.III.** <u>For Review:</u> Trinity EMS, Inc. Reports and Notifications submitted by Jon Kelley, Trinity EMS Inc. The Board reviewed the report and placed on file.

- **1.IV.** <u>For Review</u>: Tobacco Control Monthly Report Submitted By Cesar Pungirum, Program Director The Board reviewed the report and placed on file.
- 1.V. <u>For Approval:</u> 2023 Body Art Establishment and Practitioner Licenses

  <u>Motion:</u> to approve the 2023 Body Art permits for the listed Body Art Establishments and Practitioners made by Erin Gendron, seconded by Allison Keegan. All in favor
- **1.VI.** <u>For Review:</u> Monthly Development Services Report Submitted By Senior Sanitary Code Inspector Jimmy Le Senior Sanitary Code Inspector Jimmy Le reviewed the report with the Board. The Board members noted the schools with the failed inspections and asked that the School Department facilities, Banner Pest Control, and Department of Public Works be invited to the next meeting. Mr. Le will contact Banner Pest Control and the Board of Health Secretary will contact the city departments.

#### 1.VII. Request to Address the Board Relative to 43 Summer St #191 - Dina Favreau

Dina Favreau, 41 Boston Rd, Billerica addressed the Board regarding Sanitary Code conditions at 43 Summer St. #191. Sr. Sanitary Code Inspector Jimmy Le spoke the Board regarding conducted inspections and the responsibility of the tenant to maintain conditions under the Sanitary Code. Ms. Favreau informed the Board that she had not spoken to the Lowell Housing Authority but had filed complaints with State agencies. The Board recommended Ms. Favreau also contact the Lowell Housing Authority.

### 2. OLD BUSINESS

#### 2.I. Gold Star Closure - Food Permit Revocation

The Board Secretary contacted Language Line Solutions to obtain a Cantonese Interpreter as requested by Mr. Jimmy Lee, owner of Gold Star Restaurant. After a significant hold, the company was unable to obtain an interpreter.

<u>Motion:</u> to suspend discussion of the Gold Star Restaurant reopening until the January 11, 2023 Board of Health Meeting made by Erin Gendron, seconded by Allison Keegan. All in favor.

**VOTE:** to suspend discussion of the Gold Star Restaurant reopening until the January 11, 2023 Board of Health Meeting:

Erin Gendron - Yes Allison Keegan - Yes Kathleen Cullen-Lutter - Yes

**2.II.** <u>Informational:</u> LRWU Duck Island Biobot Analytics Report - 11.21.22 The Board had no questions regarding the report and placed on file

**2.III.** <u>Update:</u> If Available, Most Recent Air Quality Report For Lowell High School The Air Quality Report was not available for this meeting.

**2.IV.** For Review/Revision: 2023 Board Of Health Meeting Calendar The Board Members present reviewed the calendar and noted any conflicts.

#### 3. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

## 3.1. Department and Divisional Reports and Updates

HHS Director Lisa Golden reviewed the reports with the Board. The Board had no questions and placed on file.

#### 4: Motion to Adjourn

Motion: to adjourn made by Erin Gendron, seconded by Allison Keegan. All in favor.

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE LOWELL BOARD OF HEALTH
WILL BE HELD ON JANUARY 11, 2023 AT 6:00PM IN THE MAYOR'S RECEPTION ROOM, CITY HALL